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Ms. Ed's Notes:

The next issue of the Mad Hatter will be on Sept. 6. Copy for this publication should be in by Sept. 1 because of the Labour Day holiday.

News Releases

Douglas College opened its Maple Ridge Centre Aug. 22 in the former Haney Central School.

The college's newest centre is located at 11849 - 225th St., near the municipal hall in central Haney, and the office is now open from 9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., five days a week.

On Wednesday, Aug. 31, at 8 p.m., Cable 10 will provide an opportunity for Maple Ridge residents to phone in and ask questions about courses and generally about the college.

The library services are located close by the centre, at 11945 - 225th St., and the college's bookstore will arrange for students to purchase their books at the Haney Campus.

University transfer credit courses which will be offered in Maple Ridge begin the week of Sept. 6, and none have pre-requisites.

They include: Expository Writing, Studies in Prose Fiction, Weather and Climate, Introduction to Philosophy, Basic Psychological Processes and Social Processes.

By mid-September, Douglas College officials hope to be able to announce details regarding leased facilities to be developed as a campus for Langley.

Douglas College Council Chairman John Sutherland said he hoped modifications to the site could be undertaken this fall, in order that college classes could be held in the facility by January, 1978.

"We're looking forward to the day when the Langley campus will be equivalent to our Richmond Campus in the level of activity and community service," he commented.

"The council is pleased with the cooperation we've received from the Ministry of Education in providing special funding to the college for this expansion in response to requests from both the school district and the college.

The college's operations in Langley actually begin this September, when Douglas College takes over the Adult Basic Education and secondary completion programs presently offered by Langley School District.

By January, 1978, the college hopes to offer clerical, business, drafting and university-transfer programs in Langley, with bookkeeping added by February, and community education courses to complement those offered by the school district.

In September, 1978, the new campus should be fully operational - depending on approvals from the ministry - with the addition then of horticulture, construction, basic vocational, and possibly equine programs, said Mr. Sutherland.

"Further development of the Langley campus will depend on student enrolment, community demand and the availability of funds," he added.

"However, possibilities for the future include programs and courses in food services and allied fields, retail merchandising, health and medical service aide training, and graphic and commercial art," he concluded.

NEWSLETTER

Last year at the ACCC Conference in Ottawa a notice of motion was put forth for a staff component at the future ACCC Annual Conferences along with a staff mini-conference.

I have been approached by COLLEGE CANADA Magazine to get input from our staff members at Douglas College and also from other regional colleges in B.C. in this connection and submit an article. I have also received a letter from Grant MacEwan Community College in Edmonton, part of which I am quoting below, which is self explanatory.

Any staff member interested in getting involved or writing an article please contact me and I will arrange a meeting.

Pauline Surridge, Local 225 Surrey Campus

"RE: SUPPORT STAFF INVOLVEMENT -
COLLEGE CANADA '77 EDMONTON, ALBERTA

I am writing to you on behalf of College Canada '77 who will be holding their annual conference in Edmonton, Alberta in November 1977.

With recent approval of support staff involvement in the conference, I have been approached to help organize activities for this particular group of people. Your interest in possibly getting involved in such an endeavor was brought to my attention by Lynn Fogwill, Conference Co-Chairman.

A seminar on Time Management has been suggested, and I am "open" for any other suggestions you may have.

Debbie Cameron
GRANT MacEWAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE"

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Sometime, when your ego's in bloom,
Sometime, when you take it for granted,
You're the best qualified in the room,
Sometime, when you feel that your going
Would leave an unfillable hole,
Just follow this simple instruction
And see how it humbles your soul.
Take a bucket and fill it with water,
Put your hand in it up to the wrist,
Pull it out, and the hole that's remaining
Is a measure of how you'll be missed.
You may splash all you please when you enter
You can stir up the water galore
But stop, and you'll find in a minute
That it looks quite the same as before.
The moral in this quaint example,
Is do just the best you can,
Be proud of yourself, but remember,
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